

The John Kerr High School, at Winchester



The John Kerr High School, Winchester, Va., where the Winchester State Summer Normal is being held. The Summer Normal is a great success. A most capable corps of instructors has been selected; the attendance is large, and the teachers are doing enthusiastic work.

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The Mary Baldwin Seminary

The commanding influence of the Mary Baldwin Seminary dates from 1853, when it came under the direction of Miss Mary Julia Baldwin, a scholarly Christian woman, whose heart was filled with charity and the missionary spirit. The daughters and granddaughters of girls from all parts of the world whom she taught, are now students at the seminary. Few schools have such buildings, such equipment, such healthful climate and surroundings, such scenery and such management. The spirit of Miss Baldwin pervades the school to-day as strongly as in her lifetime, and to

this is attributed the great success it has attained.

Randolph-Macon Academy

Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford City, Va., has just closed the twentieth year of its history. During the past seven years its patronage has been limited solely by the capacity of its accommodations. Its success is due to the fact that it has confined itself strictly to one grade of work, and during its entire history there has been no change in its policy or methods of administration.

The present principal, E. Sumter Smith, has been connected with the academy since its organization.

In location, plant and equipment, faculty, course of study, methods of administration, records of its students, endorsements of its work, and rates, it invites comparison with other training schools, and solicits the consideration of those desirous of securing a first-class training school for boys.

Virginia Christian College

Virginia Christian College succeeds:

1. Because the school is coeducational—a growing idea in a Christian civilization.

2. Because it holds the same standard of morals for men as for women.

3. Because the students are shown that learning and every other acquirement find their true value only in honest, persistent, Christian living.

4. Because its principles deeply engrafted awaken noble ambitions and quicken mental growth.

5. Because the college has a surpassingly beautiful location, happy, protected home life, a faculty of highly trained men and women, who love God and appreciate the transcendent worth of boys and girls, and earnestly desire to help them.

Supervision of Schools.

Last year our new law in regard to the election and duties of division superintendents went into effect. These officers are now required to give all of their time to supervision, and the law provides that no salary shall be less than \$900, except under very special circumstances. The salaries of our division superintendents already average over \$1,000, and it is only a matter of a few years when there will be no county or city superintendent who does not receive a sufficient salary to justify him in giving his whole time to school duties.

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Medical College of Virginia.

The Medical College of Virginia claims a part in the present great advances in education and sanitary science.

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Trinity College.

In physical equipment, standards of work, ideals of excellence, in the quality of the men who teach, Trinity College has striven hard in recent years to put itself in line with the best academic traditions in this country.

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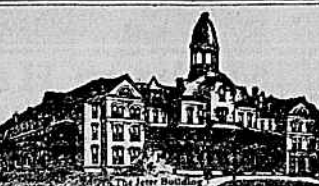
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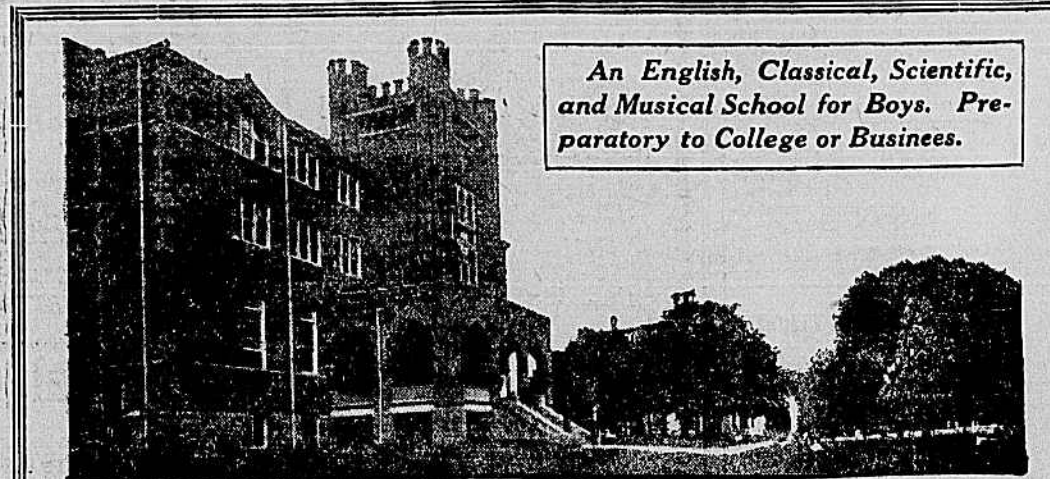
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